



## Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005

**Reference:** 250346  
**Name:** Tipples of Manchester  
**Address:** 16 Lloyd Street, Manchester, M2 5ND  
**Ward:** Deansgate  
**Application Type:** Premises Licence (new)  
**Name of Applicant:** Tipples of Manchester Ltd  
**Date of application:** 22 September 2020

Agreement has been reached between the applicant and all parties that submitted relevant representations.

The Sub-Committee is asked to grant the application subject to the modifications agreed between the parties without the need for a hearing.

If the Sub-Committee is not minded to grant the application as above, it is requested to adjourn the matter for a full hearing to be held to determine the application.

### Proposed licensable activities and opening hours to be granted

The supply of alcohol for consumption both on and off the premises:  
Mon to Sun 9.00am to 10.00pm

Opening hours:  
Mon to Sun 10.00am to 10.00pm

### Representations received

The Trading Standards Service

The Trading Standards Service are satisfied that the applicant has provided comprehensive information as to how they intend to operate the Challenge 25 policy at the premises but is concerned that staff working at the premises will subsequently possess little knowledge or understanding as to how they should implement that policy correctly and effectively (thereby properly upholding the Licensing Objective relating to the protection of children from harm). Furthermore it is also of concern to the Trading Standards Service that the premises appears to be setting insufficient safeguards in place in regard to the delivery of online sales/orders of

alcohol to customer's home addresses in order to prevent the supply of alcohol to underage persons from taking place. To ensure full compliance with the Licensing Objective relating to the protection of children from harm, The Trading Standards Service is requesting the imposition of a range of extra conditions on to any subsequently granted premises licence.

## **Agreements between parties**

### **The Trading Standards Service:**

- All staff authorised to sell alcohol shall be trained in:
  - the prevention of underage sales of alcohol;
  - the prevention of proxy purchases of alcohol;
  - maintenance of the refusals log;
  - where till prompts are installed, how to enter sales correctly on the tills so the prompts show as appropriate;
  - how to refuse service.
- Training must include evidence that the trainee has gained knowledge and understanding of the training, which may consist of a test or quiz, completed and signed by the trainee. Documented records of training completed shall be kept for each member of staff. Training shall be regularly refreshed and at no greater than 6 monthly intervals. Training records shall be made available for inspection upon request by a police officer or an authorised officer of Manchester City Council.
- It must be indicated on the landing page of the website that a Challenge 25 Scheme is operated. It must also state on the page that it is an offence to buy or attempt to buy alcohol if you are under 18 and that valid ID shall be requested on delivery if the person receiving the delivery appears under 25. The alcohol licence number must also be displayed on the website.
- Customers must be informed on the website, and prior to delivery, that a person over 18 must be available to take delivery of alcohol and that ID may be requested in the form of a passport, photo card driving licence, an HM Forces warrant card, or a card bearing the PASS hologram to prove they are over 18.
- The customer buying alcohol on the website must have to take positive action to attest they are over 18 (this may be by means of ticking a box and/or entering their date of birth).
- Staff must be trained to ensure that they know how to record when alcohol is returned to you as a result of a refusal to deliver alcohol to a person is made.
- Delivery drivers must be instructed in writing by the Licence Holder to ask for valid ID comprising a valid passport, valid photo card driving licence, an HM forces warrant card or a card bearing the PASS hologram on delivery if the person receiving the delivery appears under 25.

**Background documents (available for public inspection):**

- Manchester City Council Statement of Licensing Policy 2016 - 2021
- Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003, April 2017
- Original application form
- Representations made against application and respective agreements